

Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Tier I Issue — International Hybrid Instrument Transactions [LMSB Control No: LMSB-4-0509-122 Impacted IRM 4.51.5] received May 27, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2277. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Non-business Energy Property [Notice 2009-53] received June 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2278. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Tier I Issue: I.R.C. Section 118 Abuse Directive #7 — received June 10, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2279. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Guidance under Section 409A(a)(2)(A)(v) on certain transactions pursuant to the Emergency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008 [Notice 2009-49] received June 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2280. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Tier I Issue: Section 118 Abuse Directive #8 [LMSB Control No.: LMSB-PQ-0509-130 Impacted IRM 4.51.5] received June 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2281. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Cox v. Commissioner, 514 F.3d 1119 (10th Cir. 2008), rev'g 126 T.C. 237 (2006). [IRB No.: 2009-22] received June 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2282. A letter from the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's eighth annual report concerning fraud by businesses or individuals that market advice or assistance to students and parents who may be seeking financial aid for higher education; jointly to the Committees on Education and Labor and the Judiciary.

2283. A letter from the Inspector General, Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction, transmitting the Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction (SIGIR) April 2009 Quarterly Report, pursuant to Public Law 108-106, section 3001; jointly to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Appropriations.

2284. A letter from the Office Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Revisions to FY 2009 Medicare Severity-Long-term Care Diagnosis-Related Group (MS-LTC-DRG) Weights [CMS-1337-IFC] (RIN: 0938-AP76) received June 3, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. CONYERS: Committee on the Judiciary. House Resolution 520. Resolution impeaching Samuel B. Kent, judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, for high crimes and misdemeanors (Rept. 111-159). Referred to the House Calendar.

Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 2918. A bill making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes (Rept. 111-160). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. MARKEY of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Mr. WELCH):

H.R. 2908. A bill to provide for the sale of light grade petroleum from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve and its replacement with heavy grade petroleum; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. McDERMOTT:

H.R. 2909. A bill to amend title XI of the Social Security Act to provide for an improved method to measure poverty so as to enable a better assessment of the effects of programs under the Social Security Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. KIND (for himself, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Mr. REICHERT, and Mr. HERGER):

H.R. 2910. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for S corporation reform, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER (for himself, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. LEVIN, and Mr. PASCRELL):

H.R. 2911. A bill to improve end-of-life care; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, and Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ):

H.R. 2912. A bill to authorize and request the President to award the congressional Medal of Honor posthumously to Captain Felix Sosa-Camejo for his gallant and heroic actions during the Vietnam War, ending with his death in combat on February 13, 1968; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. MACK, Mr. ROONEY, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, and Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida):

H.R. 2913. A bill to designate the United States courthouse located at 301 Simonton Street in Key West, Florida, as the "Sidney M. Aronovitz United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. CHAFFETZ:

H.R. 2914. A bill to amend the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 to terminate marketing assistance loans and loan deficiency payments for mohair producers; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. CHAFFETZ:

H.R. 2915. A bill to prohibit United States contributions to the International Fund for

Ireland; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. CHAFFETZ:

H.R. 2916. A bill to provide that no recreation grants made using funds from the Land and Water Conservation Fund may be used to acquire land or make improvements in State or local parks; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. LIPINSKI:

H.R. 2917. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to deny any deduction for advertising prescription drugs; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER:

H.R. 2919. A bill to amend part B of title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide Medicare physician incentive payments for efficient areas; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. HOYER (for himself, Mr.

GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. HILL, Mr. WELCH, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. ALTMIRE, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. ARCURI, Mr. BACA, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. BARROW, Ms. BEAN, Mr. BERRY, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. BOCCIERI, Mr. BOREN, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. BOYD, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. BRIGHT, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. CARDOZA, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. CARNEY, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. CHILDERS, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, Mr. COOPER, Mr. COSTA, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. CUELLAR, Mrs. DAHLKEMPER, Mr. DAVIS of Alabama, Mr. DAVIS of Tennessee, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. DELAUNO, Mr. DONNELLY of Indiana, Mr. DRIEHAUS, Mr. EDWARDS of Texas, Mr. ELLSWORTH, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. POSTER, Ms. FUDGE, Ms. GIFFORDS, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. GORDON of Tennessee, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. GRIFFITH, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mrs. HALVORSON, Mr. HARE, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HEINRICH, Ms. HERSETH SANDLIN, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. HIMES, Mr. HODES, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. KAGEN, Mr. KANJORSKI, Ms. KILROY, Mrs. KIRKPATRICK of Arizona, Mr. KISSELL, Mr. KLEIN of Florida, Ms. KOSMAS, Mr. KRATOVL, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. LOEBBACH, Mr. LUJAN, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. MAFFEI, Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. MARKEY of Colorado, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. MASSA, Mr. MATHESON, Ms. MATSUI, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. MCMAHON, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mr. MELANCON, Mr. MINNICK, Mr. MOORE of Kansas, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. PATRICK J. MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mr. MURPHY of New York, Mr. NYE, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. PERRIELLO, Mr. PETERS, Mr. PETERSON, Mr. PIERLUISI, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. REYES, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. ROSS, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. SABLAN, Mr. SALAZAR, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. SCHAUER, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SCHRADER, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia,

Mr. SESTAK, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. SHULER, Mr. SIRE, Mr. SKELTON, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. SPACE, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. TANNER, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. TEAGUE, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. TITUS, Ms. TSONGAS, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. WALZ, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. WILSON of Ohio, Mr. WU, Mr. TONKO, and Mr. VISCLOSKEY):

H.R. 2920. A bill to reinstitute and update the Pay-As-You-Go requirement of budget neutrality on new tax and mandatory spending legislation, enforced by the threat of annual, automatic sequestration; to the Committee on the Budget.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER:

H.R. 2921. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for an annual review by the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission on geographic access to services; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. FLAKE:

H.R. 2922. A bill to establish a downpayment requirement for Rural Housing Service direct and guaranteed single-family home loan programs, to repeal the downpayment assistance initiative under subtitle E of title II of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act, and to prohibit use of amounts provided under certain other programs for downpayment assistance; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. GORDON of Tennessee (for himself, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. CARNEY, Mr. WAMP, Mr. MATHESON, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. DAVIS of Tennessee, and Mr. DONNELLY of Indiana):

H.R. 2923. A bill to enhance the ability to combat methamphetamine; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida (for himself, Mr. PAYNE, and Mr. KUCINICH):

H.R. 2924. A bill to establish a commission to study the culture and glorification of violence in America; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HOEKSTRA (for himself, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. HELLER, and Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina):

H.R. 2925. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for community projects that will reduce the number of individuals who are uninsured with respect to health care, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. NYE (for himself and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN):

H.R. 2926. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide, without expiration, hospital care, medical services, and nursing home care for certain Vietnam-era veterans exposed to herbicide and veterans of the Persian Gulf War; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. PASCRELL (for himself, Mr. JONES, Mr. MICHAUD, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, Mr. WESTMORELAND, and Ms. SUTTON):

H.R. 2927. A bill to authorize the imposition of a tax on imports from any country that employs indirect taxes and grants re-

bates of the same upon export and to authorize compensatory payments to eligible United States exporters to neutralize the discriminatory effect of such taxes paid by such exporters if United States trade negotiating objectives regarding border tax treatment in World Trade Organization negotiations are not met; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PERRIELLO:

H.R. 2928. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for an apprenticeship and on-job training program under the Post-9/11 Veterans Educational Assistance Program; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. SARBANES (for himself and Mr. BRALEY of Iowa):

H.R. 2929. A bill to enhance the primary care workforce through the establishment of a National Health Workforce Advisory Board and the provision of workforce data and analysis; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SARBANES (for himself and Mr. BRALEY of Iowa):

H.R. 2930. A bill to enhance the primary care workforce through modifications to the medical residency training programs and use of qualified teaching health centers and through State primary care scholarship and loan repayment programs; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. TEAGUE (for himself and Mr. MURPHY of New York):

H.R. 2931. A bill to direct the Secretary of Defense to adopt a program of professional and confidential screenings for members of the armed forces on active duty to detect mental health conditions for the purpose of reducing the incidence of suicide among such members and veterans, and to detect traumatic brain injuries, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. CLEAVER (for himself, Mr. CLAY, and Mr. GRAVES):

H. Con. Res. 155. Concurrent resolution supporting the goals and ideals of "Complaint Free Wednesday"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. INGLIS, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MACK, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. KLEIN of Florida, Ms. BERKLEY, Ms. HARMAN, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. ENGEL):

H. Con. Res. 156. Concurrent resolution condemning the attack on the AMIA Jewish Community Center in Buenos Aires, Argentina, in July 1994, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. LATTA (for himself, Mr. KLEIN of Florida, Mr. KENNEDY, Ms. FUDGE, Mr. ROONEY, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. SESTAK, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. ARCURI, and Mr. LIPINSKI):

H. Con. Res. 157. Concurrent resolution expressing the support of the Congress for a National Senior Citizens Day; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. WATERS (for herself, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. CLAY, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. ELLISON, and Mr. GRAYSON):

H. Res. 553. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Secretary of the Treasury and the Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System should protect and enhance consumer and business access to credit by utilizing the provisions of the Federal Reserve Act and the Emergency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008, and reserving access to liquidity programs for those financial institutions that have maintained or increased lending activities since the height of our economic crisis in October 2008; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. BAIRD (for himself and Mr. CULBERSON):

H. Res. 554. A resolution amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to require that legislation and conference reports be available on the Internet for 72 hours before consideration by the House, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

H. Res. 555. A resolution expressing concern for the well-being of journalists Laura Ling and Euna Lee and urging the Government of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea to release them on humanitarian grounds; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. HIMES (for himself, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, and Mr. KANJORSKI):

H. Res. 556. A resolution recognizing the 75th anniversary of the passage of the Federal Credit Union Act and the vibrant Federal credit union community that was created as a result of this important piece of legislation; to the Committee on Financial Services.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 22: Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 213: Mr. MORAN of Kansas.

H.R. 327: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.

H.R. 450: Mr. HUNTER, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. POSEY.

H.R. 460: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

H.R. 468: Ms. CLARKE.

H.R. 571: Mr. YARMUTH and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

H.R. 621: Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. HONDA, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. WALZ, Mr. COSTA, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. HALL of Texas, and Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois.

H.R. 634: Mr. POSEY.

H.R. 636: Mr. MORAN of Kansas.

H.R. 667: Mr. RODRIGUEZ and Mrs. KIRKPATRICK of Arizona.

H.R. 690: Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. BONNER, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. OLSON, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. PAULSEN, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Ms. FALLIN, Mr. JORDAN of Ohio, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. BARTLETT, Mr. PITTS, Mr. TURNER, Mr. TIAHRT, and Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California.

H.R. 877: Mr. MORAN of Kansas.

H.R. 1020: Mr. SPACE, Mr. DICKS, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. BACA, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, and Mr. PAYNE.

H.R. 1064: Mr. PERLMUTTER, Ms. KILROY, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. KAGEN, Mr. HILL, and Mr. DOGGETT.

H.R. 1080: Ms. PINGREE of Maine.

H.R. 1128: Mr. MASSA.

H.R. 1129: Mr. SHULER.